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For (title): CLOTHING FRIENDLY CLIP

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1. Type of Application

This transmittal is for an original (nonprovisional) application.

2. Papers Enclosed

A. Required for filing date under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) (Regular) or 37 C.F.R. 1.153 (Design) Application

16 Page(s) of Specification

4 Page(s) of Claims

4 Sheet(s) of Drawing(s)--Informal

B. Other Papers Enclosed

1 Page(s) of abstract

3. Declaration or Oath

Not Enclosed.

Application is made by a person authorized under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.41(c) on behalf of all of the above-named inventors.

4. Inventorship Statement

The inventorship for all the claims in this application is the same.

5. Language

English

6. Assignment

An assignment of the invention to Comprehensive Identification Products, Inc. is attached

7. Fee Calculation (37 C.F.R. Section 1.16)

Regular Application

CLAIMS AS FILED

Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee 37 CFR 1.16(a) \$710.00
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Total Claims (37 CFR 1.16(c))	19	- 20 =	0 x	\$18.00	\$0.00
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Independent Claims (37 CFR 1.16(b))	3	- 3 =	0 x	\$80.00	\$0.00
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Multiple Dependent Claim(s), if any (37 CFR 1.16(d))			+	\$270.00	\$0.00
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8. Fee Payment Being Made at This Time

Not Enclosed

No filing fee is to be paid at this time.

**ADDED PAGES FOR NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL WHERE BENEFIT OF
PRIOR U.S. APPLICATION CLAIMED**

9. Relate Back

Amend the specification by inserting, before the first line, the following sentence:

A. 35 U.S.C. Section 119(e)

"This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No.:

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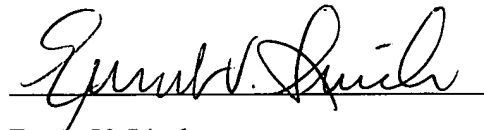
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